6. The Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury reserve the right of rejecting any Tenders.

Treasury Chambers, December 23, 1880.

THE CONTAGIOUS DISEASES (ANIMALS) ACT, 1878.

THE Lords of the Council, under and in pursuance of the Orders of Council dated 3rd and 10th December, 1880, have granted the following Licences:

For holding Sales of Animals for immediate slaughter at—

Acle, Norfolk. Beccles, Suffolk. Diss, Norfolk. Reepham, Norfolk. Sudbury, Suffolk. Yarmouth, Norfolk.

For holding a Sale of Animals not intended for immediate slaughter at-

Mountnessing, Essex.

Veterinary Department, Privy Council Office, 27th December, 1880.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867, and in the Matter of the Edison Telephone Company of London Limited.

OTICE is hereby given, that a petition for the winding up of the above-named Com-pany by the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, was, on the 24th day of December, 1880, presented to the Master of the Rolls by William Rennie, of 16, Leadenhall-street, in the city of London, Merchant, a shareholder of the said Company; and that the said petition is directed to be heard before the Master of the Rolls, on the 15th day of January, 1881; and any creditor or contributory of the said Company desirous to oppose the making of an Order for the winding up of the said Company under the above Acts should appear at the time of hearing by himself or his counsel for that purpose ; and a copy of the said petition will be furnished to any creditor or contributory of the said Company requiring the same, by the undersigned, on payment of the regulated charge for the same.-Dated this 24th day of December, 1880.

> Freshfields and Williams, of 5, Bank-buildings, Lothbury, London, E.C., Solicitors for the Petitioner.

WHEREAS by an Order of the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, made in the matter of exparte the Undertaking of the Ely and Bury St. Edmunds (Light) Railway Act, 1875; and of the Ely and Bury St. Edmunds (Railway) Abandonment Act, 1880; and in the matter of the Act 9 and 10 Victoria, cap. 20, intituled an Act to amend an Act of the second year of Her present Majesty for providing for the custody of certain moneys paid in pursuance of the Standing Orders of Parliament by subscribers to works and undertakings to be effected under the authority of Parliament, the following inquiries were directed, that is to say :---1. An inquiry whether the property of any landowners or other persons had been interfered with or otherwise rendered less valuable by the commencement, construction, or abandonment of the Ely and Bury St. Edmunds (Light) Railway, or any portion thereof, or whether any landowners or

other persons have been subjected to injury or loss in consequence of the exercise of the compulsory powers of taking property conferred on such Railway Company by the above-mentioned Acts, for which injury or loss no compensation or inadequate compensation has been paid. 2. An inquiry whether anything, and if anything what is due, and to whom, by way compensation for any lands so interfered with or rendered less valuable, or for such injury or loss; and 3. An inquiry whether any person or persons, other than the petitioners, is or are entitled to the residue of the £4,791 Consols, and the £211 2s. cash to the credit of exparte the undertaking of the Ely and Bury St. Edmunds (Light) Railway Bill, after payment of such compensation (if any), or to any part of such residue. Now pursuant to such Order the persons claiming to be such landowners or other persons or otherwise claiming under or by virtue of such Order, are, by their Solicitors, on or before the 7th February, 1881, to come in and prove their claims at the chambers of the Vice-Chancellor Sir Richard Malins, at No. 12, Staple-inn, Holborn, in the county of Middlesex, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order. Wednesday, the 16th February, 1881, at twelve of the clock at noon, at the said chambers, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the claims.-Dated the 23rd December, 1880.

In the High Court of Justice.—Chancery Division. Vice-Chancellor Hall.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867, and in the Matter of the Swadlincote Colliery Company Limited.

BY an Order made by the Vice-Chancellor Hall in the above matter, dated the 17th day of December, 1880, on the petition of Walter Radcliffe Horncastle, of No. 61, Cheapside, in the city of London, Advertising Agent, it was ordered that the voluntary winding up of the said Company should be continued, but subject to the supervision of the Court; and any of the proceedings under the said voluntary winding up might be adopted as the Judge shall think fit; and the creditors, contributories, and Liquidators of the said Company, and all other persons interested, are to be at liberty to apply to the Judge at Chambers as there may be occasion. And it was further ordered that a proper person or proper persons should be appointed by the Judge in Chambers Official Liquidator or Liquidators of the said Company.—Dated this 24th day of December, 1880.

> Hindson Miller and Vernon, 10, Moorgate-street, London, E.C., Solicitors for the said Petitioner.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867, and in the Matter of the Farmers and Consumers' Co-operation Limited.

BY an Order made by the Vice-Chancellor Sir Charles Hall in the above matters, dated the 17th day of December, 1880, on the petition of the above-named Company, it was ordered that the voluntary winding up of the said Farmers and Consumers' Co-operation Limited be continued, but subject to the supervison of the Chancery Division of the High Court of Justice.

> Pechham, Maitland, and Pechham, 17, Knightrider-street, Doctors'-commons, E.C., Solicitors for the said Petitioners.

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